

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**Inventor:** HJB ROLLING MILL TECHNOLOGY GMBH )  
**Serial Number:** 10/537683 )  
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**For:** METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF A STRIP  
COMPRISING A STAGGERED PROFILE THAT RUNS  
IN THE LONGITUDINAL DIRECTION THEREOF )  
**Docket Number:** 14183 )

**STATUS INQUIRY**

Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

29 January 2009

Sir:

Some time has passed without receiving an Official Action on the above-referenced application, to ensure that no communications have gone astray, we now inquire as to the status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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